

Table 8. Land: 2002 and 1997

[For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text]

All farms	2002		1997	All farms	2002		1997
	Total	Percent of total			Total	Percent of total	
LAND USE				LAND USE - Con.			
Farms	228,926	100.0	228,173	Total cropland - Con.			
Land in farms	129,877,666	100.0	133,956,359	Other cropland - Con.			
Total cropland	160,352	70.0	166,630	Cropland in cultivated			
Harvested cropland	38,657,710	29.8	39,051,211	summer fallow	farms	5,721	5,790
	106,827	46.7	118,215		acres	845,725	1,156,484
	17,750,938	13.7	20,357,767	Total woodland	farms	48,774	47,543
Farms by acres harvested:					acres	5,651,181	5,471,015
1 to 49 acres	63,457	27.7	71,694	Woodland pastured	farms	36,611	35,130
1 to 9 acres	14,437	6.3	16,998		acres	4,202,337	3,959,072
10 to 19 acres	19,179	8.4	21,785	Woodland not pastured	farms	17,238	18,031
20 to 29 acres	14,002	6.1	15,686		acres	1,448,844	1,511,943
30 to 49 acres	15,839	6.9	17,225	Pastureland and rangeland, other than			
50 to 99 acres	15,863	6.9	16,275	cropland and woodland pastured			
100 to 199 acres	10,273	4.5	10,199	(see text)	farms	125,951	100,023
200 to 499 acres	8,228	3.6	8,943		acres	83,402,865	86,947,714
500 to 999 acres	4,463	1.9	5,828	Land in house lots, ponds, roads,			
1,000 acres or more	4,542	2.0	5,276	wasteland, etc	farms	93,425	105,189
1,000 to 1,999 acres	3,270	1.4	3,869		acres	2,165,910	2,486,419
2,000 acres or more	1,272	0.6	1,407	CROP INSURANCE, CONSERVATION, AND ORGANIC PRACTICES			
Cropland used only for				Land enrolled in Conservation			
pasture or grazing	89,081	38.9	97,808	Reserve or Wetlands			
	12,937,991	10.0	12,234,169	Reserve Programs	farms	13,166	(X) 14,752
Other cropland	35,419	15.5	33,835		acres	3,302,766	(X) 3,695,646
	7,968,781	6.1	6,459,275	Land used to raise certified			
Cropland idle or used for				organically produced			
cover crops or soil-improvement,				crops (see text)	farms	447	0.2 (NA)
but not harvested and not					acres	33,612	(Z) (NA)
pastured or grazed (see text)	23,839	10.4	(NA)	Land enrolled in Federal or other crop			
	4,609,293	3.5	(NA)	insurance programs (see text)	farms	23,544	10.3 (NA)
Cropland on which all					acres	15,739,894	12.1 (NA)
crops failed	11,115	4.9	5,026				
	2,513,763	1.9	561,675				